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In re plication of: Shoji Mafune, et al.

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Title: DETECTOR AND LOCK CONTROLLER

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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

Applicants hereby petition for a <u>ONE MONTH</u> extension of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.

Applicants believe that no additional Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicants hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. OMRNP071).

Enclosed is our Check No. 11647 in the amount of \$120 to cover the extension of time fee.

Please charge any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. OMRNP071).

Respectfully submitted,

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